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FM AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETEL, GW, YO, US

SUBJECT: AFN INTERFERENCE WITH RADIO SARAJEVO

REFERENCE: STATE 208987-C

1. DCM, ACCOMPANIED BY PAO, CALLED ON STARCEVIC AT FSFA SEPTEMBER 30, MADE POINTS REFTEL AND LEFT COPY TALKING POINTS WITH STARCEVIC.

2. EMPHASIZING HE NOT INFORMED ON TECHNICAL DETAILS, STARCEVIC SAID THIS IS SERIOUS MATTER WHICH GOVERNMENT BOSNIA-HERCEGOVINA EVIDENTLY PLANNING TO BRING UP AT FEDERAL LEVEL FOR FURTHER ACTION. WHEREAS NOTHING FSFA CAN DO TO STOP THAT, STARCEVIC INDICATED HE WOULD IMMEDIATELY TRANSMIT OUR TALKING POINTS TO DIZDAREVIC, WHO EVIDENTLY CURRENTLY IN BELGRADE. DCM REPEATED SERIOUSNESS USG'S DESIRE TO SOLVE PROBLEM BY REDUCING AFN TRANSMITTING POWER TO POINT IT NO LONGER INTERFERES WITH RADIO SARAJEVO'S SIGNAL WITHIN YUGOSLAVIA. HE ADDED THAT RECENT YUGOSLAV PRESS MENTION OF AFN AND RADIO ANATOLIA AS "AIR PIRATES" WAS NOT HELPFUL.

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3. IF DIZDAREVIC DOES NOT RESPOND TO OUR APPROACH THIS WEEK,

WE CAN TALK TO HIM ABOUT PROBLEM AT AMBASSADOR TOON'S RECEPTION IN HONOR OF YUGOSLAV PARTICIPANTS IN U.S. -YUGOSLAV ROUND TABLE OCTOBER 7TH. ALSO, MESSRS. SHIRLEY AND CATHERMAN CAN MAKE OUR POINTS DIRECTLY TO B-H SECRETARY INFO BABIC DURING VISIT TO SARAJEVO NEXT WEEK.

4. IN MEANTIME, PAO WILL MAKE SAME POINTS THIS WEEK IN VISIT TO DR. IVO PUSTISEK, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF YUGOSLAV RADIO TV, WHO IS WORKING ON PROBLEM AT BROADCASTER'S LEVEL.  
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